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## DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE Security Committee

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18 April 1979

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman, SECOM

VIA:

Executive Secretary

FROM:

SECOM Staff

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Court Security

At the 17 April 1979 meeting with court personnel at the Department of Justice, Mr. Mayer, Special Assistant to Chief Justice Burger, said he wanted to discuss with me the next day procedures for obtaining a security review of FBI investigations on prospective staff personnel for the Court. Prior to Mr. Mayer's call I obtained from

Messrs. a copy of the procedures that had been approved in 1976 to govern Director of Security handling of requests from the Senate Select Committee to review PSIs on prospective staff employees. I summarized these to Mr. Mayer when he called, noting in particular that we limit access to PSI results to three people (D/Sec, DD/PSI and a designated senior appraiser); that we respond in three days from time of receipt; that we return investigative files without retaining any copies; and that we provide the requestor a letter stating whether we viewed the investigative subjects as meeting DCID 1/14 criteria for access to SCI. Mr. Mayer said he was favorably disposed to this approach. His only concern was that he did not wish requests addressed to a CIA

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